

EMS for Children Advisory Committee Meeting January 23, 2020 1041 George Rogers Blvd. Columbia, SC 29201

Topic	Discussion	Recommendations/Actions
Welcome	Dr. Kevin Polley opened the meeting.	None
Freedom of Information Act	Mrs. Connie Thompson	None
Approval of Meeting Minutes	Dr. Kevin Polley approved the minutes.	None
SC REAP program	Katie Zenger with the SC Brain Injury Association Presented on concussion management and the REAP Program.	Mrs. Moore or Ms. Zenger can be contacted for additional information.
SC Critical Care protocols	Jessica Schmittle with DHEC presented on the draft of the Critical Care Paramedic protocols and training.	Dr. Polley asked the group to review the proposed protocols and they will plan to discuss it in more detail at the April meeting.
	There was discussion from the group on scope of care and training capabilities.	

10th Annual Pediatric Trauma Symposium	Mrs. Moore said the Symposium is on March 6, 2020 at the Marriott in Myrtle Beach. The link is open for registration.	If you need the link to register, please email Mrs. Moore.
Pediatric Surge Annex	Jody Hodge said a working group is currently drafting the annex and the next meeting is Tuesday, January 28 from 10-3pm.	Anyone interested in attending the working group session should contact Mrs. Moore or Mr. Hodge for additional information.
TASC Pediatric Trauma Sub-committee	Mandy Felder said TASC met earlier this month and set goals for 2020. She said the group recently worked on an algorithm for non-accidental trauma as well as the pediatric imaging guidelines to reduce radiation to pediatric patients. The group's next goal is to look at a firearm safety project that they can support and implement across the state. They will be presenting at the Peds Trauma Symposium.	None
Pediatric Ready EMS	Mrs. Moore present the draft guidebook for Pediatric Ready EMS. A draft was given to the group.	Any questions or concerns can be sent to Mrs. Moore.
Pediatric Sepsis Protocol	Mr. Arnold Alier requested that the committee help decide an age for the pediatric patient for the protocol	Dr. Polley suggested looking at data on pediatric sepsis calls and discussing it more at the next meeting.

 EMSC Updates Pediatric Ready ED EMS Assessment Safe Transport 	Mrs. Moore told the group that applications are still being accepted for hospitals to be recognized as Pediatric Ready Mrs. Moore told the group the EMSC program has sent out a survey link to EMS agencies. She asked for all agencies to please complete the assessment by the end of March. Mrs. Moore asked the group to please submit any suggestions on safe transport for the EMS regulation revision to her.	None
Open Discussion	None	None
Adjourn	Dr. Polley adjourned the meeting. The next EMSC meeting will be held on Thursday, April 23, 2020 at the SCETV Building on 1041 George Rogers Blvd. Columbia, SC 29201.	None